

REMARKS

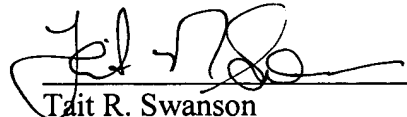
In the Office Action, the Examiner restricted examination of claims 1-90 in the present application. Specifically, the Examiner restricted claims 1-29 to Group I as drawn to a method of triggering an imaging system, restricted claims 30-53 to Group II as drawn to a method of medical diagnosis, restricted claims 54-70 to Group III as drawn to a phase-locking system, restricted claims 71-80 to Group IV as drawn to an imaging system, and restricted claims 81-90 to Group V as drawn to a timing system.

Although Applicants do not necessarily agree with the Examiner's reasons for restriction, Applicants elect to prosecute claims 1-29 of Group I. Therefore, Applicants have canceled claims 30-90 without prejudice for possible inclusion in a divisional application.

If the Examiner believes that a telephonic interview will help speed this application toward issuance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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